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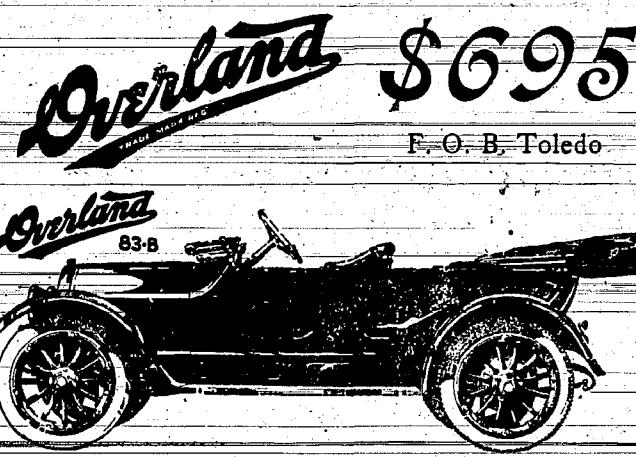
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## TOWNSHIPS NOMINATE OFFICERS.

### GRAYLING HASTHREE TICKETS IN FIELD.

Contests in all Townships Except Lovells and Maple Forest.

This week saw the close of nominations for township officers in the various townships of the county. In nearly all there will be contests and in Grayling there will be three tickets.

Following are the tickets nominated thus far reported:

#### Grayling Township.

##### REPUBLICAN.

Supervisor—Melvin A. Bates. Clerk—Abraham J. Joseph. Treasurer—Roger Hanson. Justice of the Peace—Geo. Maton. Highway Commissioner—Leonard Isenhauer.

Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 1—Peter L. Brown.

Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 2—Henry Stephens.

Member of Board of Review, full term—Thorwald W. Hanson.

Member of Board of Review, to fill vacancy—Emil Kraus.

Constables—William J. Miller, M. Brenner, Henry Joseph, Chris Jensen.

Township Committee—M. A. Bates, chairman; Charles A. Canfield, and Marius Hanson.

##### DEMOCRATIC.

Supervisor—Nels O. Corwin. Clerk—Tony Nelson. Treasurer—George W. McCullough. Justice of the Peace—Ed. G. Clark.

Highway Commissioner—Peter F. Jorgenson.

Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 1—Rasmus Rasmussen.

Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 2—Henry Feldhausen.

Member of Board of Review—Walter Jorgenson.

Constables—Ed. Stillwell, Julius Nelson, Hugo Schreiber, Johannes Rasmussen.

Township Committee—Walmer Jorgenson, chairman; John Ham and Charles O. McCullough.

##### PROLETARIAT.

Supervisor—Nels O. Corwin. Clerk—Frank Sales.

Treasurer—James Jorgenson. Justice of the Peace—William McCullough.

Highway Commissioner—Peter F. Jorgenson.

Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 1—Rasmus Rasmussen.

Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 2—John Stephan.

Member of Board of Review—R. D. Connine.

Constables—Frank May, Peter E. Johnson, Leonard Isenhauer, Leon Babitt.

Township Committee—William McCullough, chairman; John A. Holliday and Frank Deckrow.

#### Frederic Township.

##### REPUBLICAN.

Supervisor—Charles Craven. Clerk—Roy R. Kline.

Treasurer—Charles S. Barber.

Highway Commissioner—Norman Fisher.

Justice of the Peace, to fill vacancy—Wallace S. Ritter.

Justice, full term—Louis A. Gardner.

Member of Board of Review—Chas. Z. Horton.

Overseer of Highway—Geo. Horton.

Constables—Freborn McDermid, Sidney Sedgman, Harry Higgins, John Lanninan.

Township Committee—Jas. A. Kalahar, chairman; L. A. Gardner and C. S. Barber.

##### SOCIALIST.

Supervisor—Floyd Goshorn. Clerk—Harry Cram.

Treasurer—Jas. A. Leighton.

Highway Commissioner—B. Peter Johnson.

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## Play and Play Grounds.

(Paper read at the last Mothers' club meeting by L. C. Bundgaard, teacher in gymnasium in the Grayling schools and also in the Danish gymnasium.)

I am pleased of having the opportunity of speaking to you about play and play grounds. I understand that the Mothers' club wants to work for things that are good and noble and indeed we need many such people here in Grayling, who dare to stand up and demand clean and worthy surroundings to live in.

Last summer, while in Chicago, had the opportunity to see what that city has done for its children and I was fortunate to come in close contact with the work done by the Play Ground and Recreation association of America. Every time I went home from one of these play grounds, where hundreds of happy children enjoyed play under good supervision, I saw a picture before me of a happier, stronger, and cleaner man and womanhood and I said to myself: I am going to work for some of these good things, when I get home to Grayling.

I think it is true that the child is the father of the man. Are we dreaming of a better future? Then let us begin with the child. It was said about David, that he was cunning in playing and wise in words. Can we say that about the majority of our young people? No.

I have seen some of the children play in Grayling, and I wish we could teach them to play. I wish we could teach a child to be a child. Show me a child—a youth, that can play well and I will tell you what he is.

You may ask me—why teach a child to play? Altho I am not an expert in playing with children I shall try to answer the question. Watch a child around the sixth year and you will find that he is either running around making all the noise he can, or he is busy on the sidewalk filling a bottle or cigarette with sand, for in the next attempt to empty the whole thing on the front steps. What we want to observe here is not the gift (to a child everything is clean) but it's the material.

It's something, when after the child's hand will form into fingers, it's the instinct of construction, it's

the instinct of becoming a man that is being expressed thru play. Let me say right here, that the instinct to be a man should kick in in view thru all play. And further, if we can get boys and girls to unite to stand that the material in which they should work is themselves. It is their own soul and body that is worth their best efforts. Then we, some day probably, will have men and women, who will put their honors in what they are inside and not what they put on the outside.

I think it's safe to say that play is not something a child likes to have, but it is something he must have if he is ever to grow up. It's more than an essential part of education. It's an essential part of the law of his growth, of the process by which he becomes a man at all.

We cannot watch a child playing without seeing that the thing he is doing is very serious to him. Watch a baby trying to put a toe into his mouth or watch him climb a chair, and you will find by the way he looks that it's a very serious thing. In fact, play of children is not play at all, in our grown-up sense of the word. It's true that some children cannot play—they do what real children is fooling.

What happens if play is not supervised? Let me give a few examples: some boys in Pittsburgh had been arrested for throwing stones at a passenger train in the ravine below; they had the instinct for throwing, but it was not supervised.

A little boy was brought to the Juvenile court in Chicago, because he had been stealing apples. He was warned and let go. Again he was brought to the court. The probation officer took the boy aside and said: now Sonny, tell me honest, why do you steal these apples, do you get so hungry that you just can't help it? The boy looked a bit surprised, hung his

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## MAN AND HIS WIFE PRAISE TANLAC.

Both Have Used Medicine And Both Have Been Greatly Benefited.

Eugene Cagney, a prominent farmer, living on North Allegan Road, Allegan, is very enthusiastic about Tanlac. The reason for this is that he and his wife have both used the medicine and have been greatly benefited by it. Not long ago he said:

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## VILLAGE ELECTION.

R. D. Connine Running on Slip Wins by One Vote.

The Grayling Village election, Monday, sprung a surprise that even yet is hard to realize. As usual there was but one ticket in the field—the union Citizens' ticket—and those who were not looking for a contest were taken unaware.

The trouble started Monday morning, when the fire-department at the Henry DeWaele fire found the hydrants frozen. Charles Amidon went

to President Hans Petersen and gave him a cursing for not seeing that these masters were properly cared for. This work is looked after by Julius Nelson, street commissioner, and he is expected to examine all hydrants twice a month during the freezing season. Mr. Nelson claims that February 26th he examined every hydrant in the city and found them all to be in good condition. Others claim that they have been watching some of the

hydrants and that they know they haven't been opened at any time this winter. The fact pertaining hereto the Avalanche does not assume to know. We have heard parts of two sides of the story, and so has about everybody in town, so there is no use to discuss the matter in these columns.

This started matters and as it happened to be election day, votes were urged for Mr. Connine, with the result that when the votes were counted they stood 50 to 49 in favor of Mr. Connine.

It appears that the criticism was not so much with President Petersen as

with some of his appointed officers.

There is probably no business man in

Grayling who attends the council

meetings any more regularly than the writer of this article, and in fairness to Mr. Petersen we can justly say that affairs at the meetings are handled in a business-like and fair manner.

There is no question about the ability of Mr. Connine. He is a successful business man and has had years of experience as a member of the village council, and will make a good president.

Naturally Mr. Petersen is a little

hurt over the way that the affair was

handled. But few voters ever vote at

this election, as there has in the past

been but one ticket in the field, and

no body was looking for a contest.

The normal vote should be about 300

while at this election there were only

about 100 votes cast. At most village

elections, the votes run from 15 to 30.

The remainder of the ticket was

elected without any opposition, and

as follows:

President—R. D. Connine.

Clerk—Thorwald P. Peterson.

Treasurer—M. Hanson.

Assessor—James W. Sorenson.

Trustees—Frank H. Milks, Walmer Jorgenson and Dr. Chas. A. Canfield.

H. DE WAELE HAD ANOTHER FIRE.

Family Driven Out of Baker

House by Fire Starting in

Basement.

It seems that the fire element has

had a grudge against Henry DeWaele

and son Charles. Last week Tuesday

night they lost a part of their grocery

stock in a fire in the Nels Olson building,

and Monday morning fire was

discovered in their home, the Mrs. Lu-

cile Baker residence.

The blaze probably started from the

## WHERE BANDIT VILLA MADE RAIDS ON AMERICAN PROPERTY IN NEW MEXICO



1—Where Villa and his band crossed boundary and attacked town of Columbus, N. M.  
2—Villa raiders reported to have again crossed boundary west of Columbus.  
3—Thirteenth United States cavalry pursues Villa raiders 15 miles south of boundary.

## PRESIDENT WILSON AGREES TO LET CARRANZA SOLDIERS CROSS BORDER

American Government Entered into A Formal Agreement With The Carranza Government To Let Soldiers Cross Border

## ARMED INTERVENTION OF MEXICO IS POSSIBLE

Plans For Troop Movements Have Gone Forward Without Regard To The Diplomatic Exchanges; U. S. Forces Waiting To Advance

Washington—The United States government entered into a formal agreement with the de facto government of Mexico under which American troops will cross the border to hunt down Villa and his bandits with the expectation of hearty cooperation from the Carranza forces.

Secretary Lansing made public the text of a note, accepting General Carranza's proposal for a reciprocal arrangement between the two governments, and announcing that the United States held this arrangement to be now in force and binding upon both parties.

General Funston will carry out his task under this agreement. Official announcement was awaited that the American force had crossed the border. Plans for the troop movements have gone ahead without regard to the diplomatic exchanges.

Mr. Lansing also made a public statement issued in the name of President Wilson, reiterating that every step being taken by the administration was based on the deliberate intention to preclude the possibility of armed intervention in Mexico.

Allows Troops To Enter.

San Antonio, Texas.—Just when United States troops will be ordered to enter Mexico was uncertain Monday. General Funston said preparations are going on, despite Gen. Carranza's notification to the Washington government that he would not consent to American troops entering Mexico unless Carranza troops were allowed to enter the United States.

At Fort Sam Houston it was thought that the delay in starting concentration of American troops has been heaviest.

This information was received from Villa's subordinate, Colonel Gonzales, who commands the troops protecting the Mormon colony at Casas Grandes.

The wires from Juarez to the colony were cut by Villa's men. Gonzales restored them. Villa's reports are at Galvana, a point about 20 miles east of Corralitos, where he was last reported.

Military men, both American and Mexican, had thought Villa was making for the great mountain chain of the Sierra Madres. General Bertrand, heading of Villa to the west, had said he believed Villa was trying to get into Cinalos, which has enjoyed comparative peace and is filled with prosperous ranches. But apparently, finding his way blocked at Casas Grandes, the bandit gave up his announced intention of massacring the Mormons and took the easiest way out.

Although he is heading eastward, Villa has by no means an easy prospect of escape from Carranza troops about him, or from the Americans on the border. If he continues east in things is going to happen. Either Carranza will find himself forced by popular opinion to resist the invasion of his government already tottering, it is declared that any promises of noninterference or co-operation which he may make are unlikely to bind his followers.

Rumors of plots among these followers to overtake Francisco Villa means the beginning of intervention.

Washington—The conviction is growing in official circles that the American expedition into Mexico to capture Francisco Villa means the beginning of intervention.

Reports of a decidedly disturbing character concerning the attitude of the Carranza government are beginning to arrive.

Throughout these reports the threat appears that within 24 hours after the expedition has gotten well under way all Mexico will be in arms against the United States.

What attitude Carranza personally assumes appears from these reports to be negligible.

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Private advice from the border describes American refugees arriving at El Paso from Chihuahua city as declaring that the Carranza garrison there has taken up the cry of "death to the Gringos."

Carranza officials are declared to have openly stated that American troops will not be permitted to pass through the town.

Villa was reported at Espindolend, east of Corralitos, and later at Galana, which lies on the course of the Santa Maria river.

"We will not be responsible for the disastrous consequences. Upon the

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## Features of Fashion

By JULIA BOTTOMLEY



One Thin Fabric Over Another.

I must be a great pleasure to those women to look their fairest in when a commission is given them to make party gowns. With fancies unhampered by any considerations except that of beauty they are at liberty to make apparel that does not seem to belong to this worldy world—and they do. One of these dreams come true is portrayed above. The camera shows that the artist has made the most of embroidered net and georgette crepe in an adorable gown, which is so simple the wonder is that someone else did not think of it too. But each gown tells its own story. Therefore where the discourse is of party frocks it is unending and always "to be continued."

Transparent materials are the delight of modistes because they make opportunity to play with color. Frocks in the order of that shown here are made in combinations of two or three colors. Blue and green, blue and pink, white and maize, and any number of others less familiar have been used in the seductive gowns and airy fabrics designed for the new season. Georgette crepe is used with lace and with net; sometimes two nets are combined; and, in white gowns especially, net and lace are liked together.

The underskirt in the gown pictured is made of two sections of embroidered net, hemming, moderately full and without draping. An underbodice (over a short foundation of thin silk) is also made,

of the flouncing, with long and very wide sleeves. An overbodice in bolero effect is made of the georgette crepe with two rows of tiny satin-covered buttons down the front. The long overskirt of the crepe shows the influence of the pannier, inspiration in the folded drapery at each side. It is gathered at the waist line across the back and caught up to the underskirt at each side, below the drapery.

A wide crushed girdle of soft satin fastens at the back, finished with two pointed ends less than a half yard in length.

Little capes of satin and others of taffeta silk are shown among the new neckwear. Capes like them in size and shape appear on frocks and coats, in the same color as the garment, but the separate cape is in white or a light color. Since silks and satins are made washable, these light-colored

Handsome Little Accessories.

of the flouncing, with long and very wide sleeves. An overbodice in bolero effect is made of the georgette crepe with two rows of tiny satin-covered buttons down the front. The long overskirt of the crepe shows the influence of the pannier, inspiration in the folded drapery at each side. It is gathered at the waist line across the back and caught up to the underskirt at each side, below the drapery.

A wide crushed girdle of soft satin fastens at the back, finished with two pointed ends less than a half yard in length.

White Marquisettes. White marquisettes with embroidered dots or rings are thirty-eight inches wide. These are among the most popular of the dressy white materials for sheer frocks.

DICTATES OF FASHION. There is simply no end to the usefulness of ribbon for frock trimming. Paris favors the use of many artificial flowers for trimming evening gowns.

Occasionally there is an extreme gown which shows a trifle of Turkish influence.

There is a suede waistcoat, soft and easy fitting, to wear under the motor coat.

Cape attachments are considered smart. While there may be a few high

## The KITCHEN CABINET

In this world a great deal of the unhappiness amongst us arises from the imperfect understanding of one another.

Energy and determination have done wonders many a time.—Dickens.

Why then, methinks, 'tis time to smile again—Shakespeare.

### THE LUSCIOUS PRUNE.

Prunes are so wholesome, so easy to prepare and so little cost, that they should be served often in families where there are children and workers who take little active exercise.

**Prune Sandwich.**

Remove the pits from prunes that have been soaked over night, then gently simmered until tender. Do not add any sugar, as there is plenty of sweetness in the fruit itself. Press through a sieve and mix with a few chopped nuts; spread on buttered bread.

**Prune Pudding.** Mix well two beaten eggs, a pint of milk, a cupful of prunes that have been stewed and pitted, a cupful of bread crumbs. If sponge-cake crumbs are used no sugar need be added; if bread, add sugar enough to sweeten, and a pinch of salt. Bake in a slow oven until firm.

**Prune Jelly.** Stew two cupfuls of well-washed prunes that have been soaked over night, until soft; pit and press through a colander; add an ounce of gelatin that has been softened in cold water to cover; add lemon juice, and sweeten to taste; then add a half cupful of boiling water; turn out to mold after it has been well whipped cream. Serve with sweetened

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Prune pie may be served in more than one way. Bake a shell, fill with the stewed fruit, cover with a lattice and brown in the oven. Or put into an uncooked pastry shell, fill with prunes, cover with latticed strips of pastry and bake. Serve with whipped cream or a meringue.

Stand to your work and be wise, for nothing is better than good, but

being neither children, nor gods, but being in the world of men.

**Pistachio Ice Cream.** Pound four

ounces of the blanched pistachio nuts in a mortar, add a few drops of rose water to form a paste. Add one cupful of cream and one of sugar. Mix all together with another cupful of sugar and three cupfuls of cream, stir in each of chopped almonds, hickory nuts, a teaspoonful of almond extract and the well-beaten whites of the eggs folded in.

Freeze usual and allow to stand for four hours.

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**SAVORY GAME DISHES.**

The household where game may be served is indeed a fortunate one, providing the cook the proper appreciation for the wonderful flavor that right cooking and nice seasoning will produce.

The true hunter enjoys the game flavor of all kinds of meat and does not wish it removed. A wild duck, if not old, will never be more palatable than when baked with a bunch of celery or an onion for stuffing.

**Broiled Quail.** Clean the bird and cut from the back of the neck down the back, lay open and remove the contents of the inside, wash well and sprinkle with salt and pepper, brush with melted butter and broil over a clear fire fifteen minutes, turning frequently. Serve garnished with currant jelly. Such a dish is indeed food fit for the gods, but adored by mortals.

**Roast Wild Duck.** Clean and truss the duck and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Cover the breast with slices of salt pork, cut thin. Place on a rack in a dripping pan, add a hot water to the pan and place in a hot oven to cook for half an hour basting every five minutes with the water in the pan. Remove the pork and serve with currant jelly. One may use stuffing of various kinds, but the flavor of the meat is better, so our pictures say, if the bird is not stuffed.

**Venison Steak.** Wipe the steak

with a cloth, wring out of cold water.

Place the steak into a hot buttered broiler and broil, turning every ten seconds until well seared over, then turn occasionally until cooked. Venison should always be served like brof-steak, rare. Serve with wild grape jelly that has been spiced. Roast

Small Hats.

The spreading wings of the airplane must have been the motif for a smart little close-fitting hat seen a short while ago. Its dark velvet brim was offset with a light-colored stitched crown, which was finished on a point and lapped over the front in envelope fashion. The spreading wings were of a vivid red, which gave a snappy appearance to the hat.

**Botanical Phenomenon.**

A remarkable botanical phenomenon is the fact that while the state of Wisconsin has been plentifully supplied with hemlock, Minnesota, for many miles separated from its neighbor by nothing but the St. Croix river, has almost none of that timber, except one tiny spot of 240 acres.

**Optimistic Thought.**

It is not the greatness of a man's means that makes him independent so much as the smallness of his wants.

**Composition of Wheat Grain.**

A grain of wheat is composed of four parts: the husk, which consists of five layers of bran; the cereal layer, a thin membrane enclosing the starch cells, and the germ. During the milling process the bran coats and the germs are removed.

**Discontented Man.**

Man is never quite content. If he

has a corn he wishes it were a chilblain, and if he has a chilblain he imagines he would be happier with a

corn.

**Destroying Bad Eggs.**

Millions of bad eggs are seized every

year in London, and the way they are destroyed is to tip them out of their cases and run a steam roller over them.

**How Times Are Changed.**

The Russian army is in the main a peasant army. Tartars, Little Russians, Finns, Lithuanians, Tchouavash, Khirigae, Esths, Poles and Circassians are all represented, but the mass of the soldiers come from the Krestjane, or peasant classes.

**Smooth.**

Patience—Will is a pretty smooth

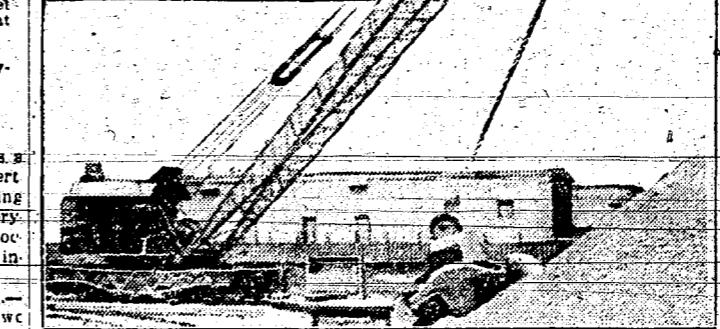
proposition.

Patrice—Yes, when we don't forget to shave.

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### CRANE HAS ENORMOUS POWER

A locomotive crane provided with a swinging boom having a length of 85 feet, which is approximately 2½ times as long as the car upon which it is mounted, has recently been constructed, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. Although built more especially for long reaches than for hoisting exceptionally heavy loads, the machine is capable of lifting a weight of 35 tons when the truck is extended only slightly forward. It is used for general purposes, such as loading and unloading coal, crushed stone and sand, which is done by means of an ordinary clamshell bucket, and, with a heavy lifting magnet attached to its cables, may be employed in handling scrap iron. It is self-propelling, and crane and engine cab may be revolved in a complete circle and likewise operated at any point. Material beyond reach is dragged in by the boom line.



Although the Truss Boom of This Locomotive Crane is 85 Feet in Length, the Machine is No More Difficult to Operate Than an Ordinary Steam Shovel.

### TOOK AWAY HIS NERVE

#### RAILROAD MAN TELLS WHY HE QUIT THE BUSINESS.

Frightful Accident Averted Only by a Lucky Chance Gave Him a Disease that the Work He Could Not Overcome.

"I shall never forget his face. I see it yet, with a sudden whiteness like flour or lime, coming over it; and I jumped up and caught him just as he keeled over. Pretty soon he came to. 'Say, boy,' were his first words.

"McCluskey was on Porter's siding. We went through there sixty miles an hour and off he went again. That time I had to work over him."

"Next day I went to headquarters Bryan and his engineer swore they

had a clear signal, and that I must have been asleep. Luckily, Harmon could testify that I was awake, and had answered him that I had set the signal against Bryan. For some reason I never understood, Bryan's flagman told the truth. Bryan had gone to sleep, and so had his engineer; and a young fireman, who was learning to run the machine, had the throttle.

"When the truth came out, he testified that he was having trouble with the掌舵 at the start out back in the yards, and never thought of the signal at all. For the first time in weeks they had a car to leave at the siding, and to get it he had to climb up on the spur they had to back completely off the main line. The flagman heard McCluskey's train coming, threw the switch so that it would not take the siding, and it flew by without an inkling of the fact that it had missed.

"That gentleman is why I gave up railroading."

**Safety First** in Railroading.

During 1915 we had occasion to discuss the partial showing of increased efficiency and greater safety in passenger train management, as disclosed in reports covering accidents and fatalities for less than annual periods. The spread of the "safety first" idea was clearly to be seen in the reduced figures, and coincident with this, as we pointed out at the time, the large expenditures to which

the railroads were put in the interest of safety.

"One black May night he called me at about eleven. 'Tell Bryan to take Porter's siding and let McCluskey by with an extra coal train,' was his message. So I set my light red against Bryan's train, the night freight westward, and soon I heard it come slowly into the yard. I had the order all ready for Bryan, the conductor, to take and sign for, and I waited there rather impatiently while the engineer made up his train. Harmon called me: 'Have you got Bryan's signature?'

"'No, they're still drilling cars.' I wired back.

"Finally the train came slowly up toward my window. I picked up the orders, but was surprised to hear the sudden clang and jerk as the engineer pulled on the throttle. 'It's got cars to drill in the upper yard,' I thought.

"So I ran out and waited for the caboose lights to appear. 'Maybe Bryan will be on the steps,' thought I, and I held the orders up as the caboose approached. Not soul there! As the caboose flew by, I shrieked: 'I ran after it! I stooped for a stone to throw, lost my balance and fell while the train went out with ever-increasing speed into the black pine wilderness.'

"Stunned and bruised, I picked myself up and ran to my key. 'Order out the wrecker!' I telephoned. Harmon, Bryan left against black without stopping."

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"'Cincinnati Times-Star.'

**Risked Life to Save Deer.** The constant effort put forth by the forestry service of the United States to conserve the wild folk of the forests never was better illustrated than in the report which has reached Cincinnati from Hailey, Idaho. Hailey is near the Sawtooth forest, which is surrounded by M. S. Benedict of the forestry service. Two deputy game wardens, John Davaney and J. R. Qualls, hearing of the desperate plight of a number of snowbound deer, actually risked their lives to go to the aid of the deer, and later requisitioned

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"The Truth Oozes Out. 'Don't you believe it?' said the sad-eyed man who occasionally lets out an audible thought.

"'Don't believe what?' asked the party who was afflicted with the rub habbit."

"That a female of the species who has made up her mind to marry waits for leap year to show up on the calendar before she proposes," replied the noisy thinker.

**him to follow his own precious advice to women, Judge says.**

"When Frederick the Great set the ball rolling that landed Europe in the trenches, the exodus of women from the home as a by-product of Prussian militarism, was not included in his calculations."

**Smooth.**

Patience—Will is a pretty smooth proposition.

Patrice—Yes, when we don't forget to shave.

### Everyone Should Drink Hot Water in the Morning

Wash away all the stomach, liver, and bowel poisons before breakfast.

To feel your best day in and day out, to feel clean inside; no sour bile to coat your tongue and sicken your breath or dull your head; no constipation, bilious attacks, sick headache, colds, rheumatism or gas, acid stomach, you must bathe the inside like you bathe outside. This is vastly more important, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do, says a well-known physician.

To keep these poisons and toxins well flushed from the stomach, kidneys and bowels; drink before breakfast each day, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from your druggist or at the store. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless, except a sour tang which is not unpleasant. Drink phosphated hot water every morning to rid your system of these vile poisons and toxins; also to prevent their formation.

To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became saturated with an accumulation of body-poisons, begin this treatment and above all, keep it up! As soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweet

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### TOWNSHIPS NOMINATE OFFICERS.

GRAYLING HAS THREE TICKETS IN FIELD.

Contests in all Townships Except Lovells and Maple Forest.

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAR. 1.

(Continued from 1st page)

#### Mercy Hospital Notes.

Little Louis Jennings, who has been at the hospital for several weeks with a broken leg, which resulted from fall on the ice, was discharged yesterday and is able to get around well again before the accident.

Mrs. John Edwards was discharged Tuesday and is feeling very well after an operation at the hospital three weeks ago.

Charles Poe of Peninsular was charged Tuesday morning, very well again. Mr. Poe had been at the hospital for almost five weeks with a fractured leg resulting from a fall.

Jacob Kestenholz,

Chris Hoesch underwent an operation Tuesday morning and is getting along fairly well.

Mrs. Anna Holzsch of W. E. Smith, proving very well.

John Burke of the Stephen's lumber Co., Waterford, who is in the hospital with a fractured leg, is going along nicely.

Mrs. P. D. Kellogg of Grayling was at the hospital last Friday for an X-ray picture of a broken arm.

Cecil Maxson of this city was brought in last week suffering with fever.

Mrs. Ballou, who is at the hospital for treatment, is about the same.

#### Sign of Good Digestion.

When you see a cheerful and happy old lady you may know that she has good digestion. If your digestion is impaired or if you do not relish your drugs just as well as in other companies, take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. They strengthen the stomach, improve the digestion and cause a gentle movement of the bowels. Obtainable everywhere.

#### The Best Drug Service.

There are good and poor qualities in the collection of state and country taxes are now at the Bank of Grayling, ready to receive payment.

#### Proper Care of the Neck and Shoulders is a Matter of Utmost Importance.

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To wear 400000 is very trying for many women. This season, with the present styles, which permit no sleeves and a very low-cut blouse, the woman whose neck is not beautiful cannot appear at her best. The woman who wears decolletés successfully must have a soft, smooth skin and neck, shoulders and arms that are well curved.

Plenty of hot and cold baths will keep the pores of the neck and shoulders well opened and the skin in a healthy condition. Sun baths are also desirable, and also salt dips whenever possible. A diet of proper foods will keep the digestive tract in good condition and eliminate any eruptions on the neck or any part of the body. A little pure cold cream applied to the skin will soften it.

If the neck seems to be yellow, the juice of the lemon is a harmless and effective bleach. For the woman whose neck is not well filled, breathing exercises are recommended. Filling the lungs with good, pure air daily will help to round out the neck.

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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAR. 16

### Local News

Try our special dinner and luncheon Sunday, 35c. The Royal Cafe.

Miss Goldie Towne of O'Neil spent Sunday here visiting Mrs. Newton McMahons.

Ed. Albright of Detroit is the new baker at the Hanson Baking Co. commencing his duties last Thursday.

The annual State tax sales for Crawford county appear in supplement form in this issue of the Avalanche.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Mahoney of Gladwin spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Balhoff.

Hathaway says he is more than busy, but will care for your optical needs if you phone 1273 for an appointment.

Harvey Burrows arrived here last Thursday from Flint and is assisting as meatcutter in the Game & Burrows market.

We understand that a re-count has been requested for the Village election ballots, and that a notice for the same will be filed today.

Misses Bessie and Wilda Tailing returned last Saturday from Bay City after a several days' visit with their sister, Miss Margaret.

E. F. Gierke has been absent from his duties as conductor on the Johnsbury train the past several days on account of illness.

Mrs. Frank Carr of Petoskey and A. H. Gordon of Tekonsha were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Brott last week. They are cousins of Mrs. Brott.

Fred Brown and family, former residents of this city, returned here Monday morning from Newberry, and expect to reside in this city again.

Mrs. Lucile Baker of Bay City was in the city a few days this week looking after her interests, which were damaged in the DeWade fire Monday.

Among those who attended the play "The Birth of a Nation" at Bay City last week were Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Chamberlin, Mrs. Wm. Brennan and J. W. Letzku.

Mrs. N. McMann and little son left Wednesday morning for Appleton, Wisconsin, to join her husband, who is working for a lumber company in that city, and where they will make their future home.

The bazaar held at Danebod hall by the Danish Young Peoples' society last Saturday was well attended, and the society extend their thanks to those, who so kindly helped them either by donations or patronage.

A. M. Lewis made a business trip to Spanish Monday.

Will Herje, who is working in Flint spent Sunday at his home here.

Jerry LaMothe was called to Bannister, Mich., Sunday night by the death of an uncle.

Don't forget the Band concert and dance at the Temple theatre Friday night. Everybody is invited.

Vaudeville at the Opera house St. Patrick's night, Friday. Also 4 reels of good pictures. Prices 10 & 15 cents. High-class vaudeville and four reels of good pictures at the Opera house tomorrow night (Friday). Prices 10 & 15 cents.

What's the matter with Grayling? No babies reported born during baby week? Not even in the county so far as we know.

Floyd McClain arrived home from Detroit last Friday. He has just fully recovered from a serious attack of typhoid-pneumonia.

Good-film pictures every night at the Opera house and special features every Wednesday and Sunday night. First class and up-to-date.

All Rebecca ladies are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. Geo. McCullough, Wednesday afternoon, March 22nd, to sew for the coming fair.

Jerry LaMothe has resigned his position as chef at the new Royal cafe. Joseph Uhley of Saginaw is now in charge of the culinary department at this place.

James Wingard took a fine panoramic view of the school pupils and teachers in front of the school house Monday. There were at least 500 persons in the picture.

Mrs. Charles Richardson, for many years a resident of Peru, Indiana, died at her home, Thursday, March 2nd, of typhoid fever following an attack of the grippe. The funeral was held in Roscommon.

H. Joseph, recovering from his attack of rheumatism while at Mt. Clemens for treatment, continued to New York where he purchased spring and summer wearing apparel for the Grayling Mercantile Co. He returned last Friday.

The friends of Mrs. T. W. Hanson will be pleased to learn that she has received the appointment of chairman of the 10th Congressional district of the Literary and Library Extension department of the State Federation of Women's Clubs. This appointment came as a surprise to Mrs. Hanson and is an honor to the Goodfellows club of which she is president.

The Grayling high school boys' basketball team easily defeated the Roscommon high school boys last Friday evening in the latter city, by a score of 25 to 14. At the end of the first half the score was a tie, but our boys in the second hit up a pace that made the first half score 7-7. "Look sick," Fred Alexander and Roy Lathers accompanied the boys, the former as referee.

Mr. Geo. Collins was pleasantly surprised Saturday evening, when he walked into his home to find about twenty members of the L. N. L. and N. L. V. S., gathered there to celebrate his fiftieth birthday anniversary. Progressive Pedro furnished the entertainment of the evening. First prizes were won by Mrs. W. Ketzbeck and Mr. Nelson Corwin. Consolation prizes were given to Genevieve Isenhauer and Mr. W. Ketzbeck.

Tom Shaw has secured a position in Detroit and will move his family there as soon as he can obtain a house to live in. Mr. Shaw has been an employee at T-Town for many years and has been a good citizen generally.

Both himself and wife have many friends, who will be sorry to have them leave Grayling, and extend to them their best wishes in their new home.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Finance Committee's report read, to wit:

To the president and members of the Common Council: Your committee on Finance, Claims and Accounts respectfully recommend that the accompanying bills be allowed as follows:

1—J. H. Shultz, Election supplies \$2.42.

2—Crawford Avalanche, printing \$16.30.

3—Grayling Electric Co., January service \$124.55.

4—M. A. Bates, supplies \$2.24.

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W. J. Graham tabled.

Following committees were appointed:

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Jorgenson, Canfield and Taylor.

ELECTION INSPECTORS.

McCullough, Cook and Taylor.

ELECTION COMMISSIONERS.

Taylor, McCullough and Cook.

Moved by Jorgenson and supported by McCullough that we adjourn. Motion carried.

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Village Clerk.

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## Colds Make Backs Ache

MORE aching backs, more kidney troubles come in March, than in any other month. Slushy sidewalks dampness, raw winds and sudden changes cause chills and colds. And chills or colds tend to hurt the kidneys. It is good sense to use a kidney remedy when recovering from a cold and at any time when suffering from a lame back, sharp pains when stooping or lifting, dizzy spells, irregular or aching kidney action, and a run-down, nervous state.

Don't delay and take a chance of getting dropsy, gravel, Bright's disease or some other serious kidney disease. Use Doan's Kidney Pills, the best recommended, special kidney remedy. All over the world grateful people frankly praise Doan's.

### Here's What Michigan People Say:

Frank Minus, W. St. Joe St., Union City, Mich., says: "Some years ago I was injured and my back and kidneys were affected. Every time I had a cold it seemed to get my kidneys causing pain and misery from a lame back and pains through my loins. Doan's Kidney Pills have done me more good than any other kidney medicine I have used. They have removed backache and lameness and strengthened my kidneys."

Mrs. Mary McLellan, 52½ Stock St., Saginaw, Mich., says: "When I overworked or caught cold my kidneys got badly disordered. My doctor used to ache intensely and I frequently had dizzy spells and fainted and worn out. My doctor told me to try Doan's Kidney Pills and I did. They regulated the action of my kidneys, strengthened my back and put me in good shape."

## DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

At All Stores, 50c a Box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

### COLT DISTEMPER

You can prevent this loathsome disease from running through your stable and causing the evils suffered by others who keep horses. SPOHN'S is safe to use on any colt. It is wonderful how it prevents all distempers no matter how colts or horses are treated. It is an excellent all round horseman's product. SPOHN'S is 50c a box and \$1 a bottle. 55 and \$10 a dozen. SPOHN MEDICAL CO., Chemists and Barberologists, Goschen, Ind., U. S. A.

No Terrors for Him. Recruiting Officer—You realize the dangers before you? You are not afraid of having horses shot under you?

Society Recruit—Me! I had two motor boats explode under me, three autos start over me and an aeroplane fall with me during the past social season alone.—Puck.

### SWAMP-ROOT STOPS SERIOUS BACKACHE

When your back aches, and your bladder and kidneys seem to be disordered, remember it is needless to suffer—go to your nearest drug store and get a bottle of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root. It is a physician's prescription for diseases of the kidneys and bladder.

It has stood the test of years and has a reputation for quickly and effectively giving results in thousands of cases.

This prescription was used by Dr. Kilmer in his private practice and was so very effective that it has been placed on sale everywhere. Get a bottle, 50c and \$10, at your nearest drugstore.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper—Adv.

The Reason. It is queer you did not notice how the wind was howling last night."

"So was the baby."

### FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots. There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the new and other methods of treatment—is guaranteed to remove these annoyances.

Simply get an ounce of ointment—apply it to the skin twice daily, and in a little of it night and morning, and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have disappeared while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. This is a fact that more than one user is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength ointment, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

Appropriate Ejaculation. Here somebody says that insanity is caused by bad teeth."

"By gum!"

### FOR PLEURISY, BRONCHITIS AND SORE-THROAT

Readers are advised not to do this, as the best way to quickly overcome soreness in the throat or chest is to rub on true Mustarline, which all druggists keep in the "right" place.

It is twice as more efficient than any liniment. Rub it on at night and blessed relief comes by morning. True Mustarline is made by Hegy Medicines Co., New York. It relieves rheumatic pains and Neuralgia almost like magic. There's blessed relief in every rub. It stops pain and congestion.

The little word "if" blunts the point of many a sound argument...

### Pale, Sallow Cheeks

Show that the blood is impoverished and that the stomach is not properly assimilating its food. In fact a woman's physical condition always shows in her face. Paleness, blotches, pimples, sallowiness or dull eyes all.

Tell the Need Of Beecham's Pills. Women who are subject to these conditions should not fail to avail themselves of their prompt and beneficial effect.

Beecham's Pills are prepared to furnish the necessary relief. They clear the system of impurities, gently stimulate the liver, regulate the bowels and tone the system. Their mild and thorough action quickly rid the skin of blemishes, improve the circulation and help the digestion. Every woman should know the comfort, and experience the help of

### Beecham's Pills

Sold by druggists throughout the world. In boxes, 10c, 25c. Directions of Special Value to Women who Every Day.

## SCANDINAVIAN NEWS

### SUMMARY OF IMPORTANT HAP- PENINGS IN FAR OFF NORTHLAND.

### ITEMS FROM THE OLD HOME

Resume of the Most Important Events in Sweden, Norway and Denmark—Of Interest to the Scandinavians in America.

### SWEDEN.

The lack of preachers in the northern part of Sweden is becoming so serious as to be little short of a public calamity. In the diocese of Härnösand the bishop has often permitted laymen to preach in order that services of some kind may be offered. And of the regular pastors who are still serving, no less than 27 are more than sixty-five years old, so that they cannot serve much longer. Why is it so difficult to get young men to serve as ministers? The pay is not liberal—but this is not all. The most serious trouble is that an intelligent and at the same-time conscientious young man of our day finds it exceedingly difficult to square his conscience with the dogmatic demands of the orthodox church. Strange though it may sound, there is many a young Swede who cannot enter the ministry of the state church of Sweden for conscience sake.

Early one morning Marlin Knut noticed a marine mine at Lilleore. The waves rolled it back and forth on the beach. He stopped to look at it for a little while, but he knew it was a pesky thing, so he did not try to pick it up, but went on his way. He had walked less than a hundred yards when the mine exploded. The concussion was so violent that he was knocked to the ground, but he escaped without injury.

### NORWAY.

Karl Olsdatter Engum (Thu), Balestrand, Sogn, was one hundred and three years old "about" January 20. The parish records show that she was baptized February 25, 1813. The date of her birth is not given, but it is known from other sources that she was five weeks old when baptized. She had to leave her home and be thrown upon the mercy of the world at a tender age. At the age of twenty she married a tenant-farmer. Her husband did not live long, and she had to support three small children single-handed. She proved to be very able, and performed her allotted task with signal success. She is now living with her daughter. Her health was far above the ordinary, and her back was unbroken until she had completed a century. During the winter season she took care of a large herd of stock in the mountain pastures until she was eighty-five years old. She is still out of bed more or less every day. She has grown thinner during the last few years, she is no longer footloose, and her hearing and eyesight are somewhat impaired. But she is still Hale and hearty, and her mental faculties are keen.

Adamless Eden. Lady of the House to Wine Agent—I'm sorry, but you've had your trouble for nothing this time. My husband is at the front, and I don't drink wine.

Wine Agent—But, my dear madam, don't forget that in these war times you must always have ready in the house at least a light wine suitable for celebrating victories.

The king and the queen have consented to act as protectors of the Swedish Red Cross, and the duchess of Västergotland has accepted the position of first honorary member of the organization.

The president, Prince Carl, turned over to the organization \$5,000 which he elegered on the sale of a book on "The Royal Family." A donation of \$2,700 has also been received from a person who has withheld his name from the public.

Sweden imports about five tons of saccharine annually. This corresponds to 3,025 tons of raw sugar or 2,750 tons of refined sugar. The value of the latter is about \$200,000. It takes 20,000 tons of sugar beets to produce that much sugar. In turn, it takes 1,750 acres to produce 20,000 tons of beets. If domestic sugar has been used in place of the five tons of saccharine the government tax on it would have been \$115,000. These figures were taken from a report made by a special committee of experts.

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# FOR HOME BAKING

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

*Absolutely Pure*

**THE GREATEST BAKE-DAY HELP**

No Alum—No Phosphate

HAT FLOWER TRIMMED



In all the displays of new millinery, hats of braid or chiffon materials are shown trimmed with flowers and bows. In these pictures here roses and narrow, fancy ribbons are featured.

LESSEN WORK IN LAUNDRY

Use Scarf and Dollies on the Table Will Make a Big Difference During the Week.

To lessen heavy labor there is nothing more than a long scarf across the table from mother's place to father's, with dollies under the other plates, cups and saucers and serving dishes. The numerous small pieces of cutlery, in looking though them over, were washed. They may be made from tablecloths which are some-what worn.

Scarves are used in opposite directions, one lengthwise of table and two crosswise to serve as a cover.

The dollies are used between meal hours and washups to hold the various small pieces.

Other method greatly lessens

work than the long overhanging table and the many washups.

The scarves may be made of creased gingham or used for ordinary wear, with ties.

Scarf.

Dollies.

Table.

Lengthwise.

Crosswise.

Table.

Washups.

Meal hours.

Washups.

Washups.